

TEXTILE EXPORTS

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Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री
be pleased to state :

- (a) the details of India's textile export performance during the last five years including major categories like cotton, synthetic fibers and ready-made garments;
- (b) whether the Government has formulated any policy/strategy for export of Indian textile product in the next three years and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the contribution of State of Tamil Nadu in the overall textile export from the country during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (d) whether Tamil Nadu has many textile industries and factories;
- (e) if so, whether the Government proposes to or has any proposal to help these textile industries by giving some financial incentives to boost exports; and
- (f) the steps taken by the Government to enhance the production and competitiveness of Indian textile industry?

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ANSWER

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(a): Details of India's textile export performance during the last five years including major categories like cotton, synthetic fibers and ready-made garments are as under:

Value in USD Million

Commodity	FY 2019-2020	FY 2020-2021	FY 2021-2022	FY 2022-2023	FY 2023-2024	Apr-Nov 2024
Readymade Garment	15,488	12,272	16,015	16,191	14,532	9,854
Cotton Textiles	10,263	11,128	17,166	11,085	12,258	7,978
Man-made textiles	5,324	4,180	6,294	5,412	5,081	3,481
Wool & Woolen textiles	181	109	166	205	192	107
Silk Products	72	76	109	95	119	114
Handloom Products	319	223	269	183	140	95
Carpets	1,373	1,491	1,790	1,366	1,395	1,015
Jute Products	357	397	537	462	353	256
Total Textile & Apparel	33,379	29,877	42,347	34,997	34,072	22,900
Handicrafts	1,798	1,708	2,088	1,689	1,802	1,165
Total T&A including Handicrafts	35,177	31,585	44,435	36,686	35,874	24,064

Source: DGCIS, Provisional Data (Rounded Off)

(b): The Government is implementing various schemes/initiatives to promote Indian textiles sector and enhance its competitiveness. The major schemes/initiatives include PM Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Apparel (PM MITRA) Parks Scheme to create a modern, integrated, world class textile infrastructure; Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme focusing on MMF Fabric, MMF Apparel and Technical Textiles to boost large scale manufacturing and enhancing competitiveness; National Technical Textiles Mission focusing on Research Innovation & Development, Promotion and Market Development; SAMARTH – Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector with the objective providing demand driven, placement oriented, skilling program; Silk Samagra-2 for comprehensive development of sericulture value chain; National Handloom Development Program for end to end support for handloom sector. Ministry of Textiles is also implementing National Handicrafts Development Programme and Comprehensive Handicrafts Cluster Development Scheme for promotion of handicrafts. To strengthen textile value chains and policy frameworks, Central Government has constituted Textile Advisory Groups (TAG), for Man Made Fibre and cotton.

Ministry has supported Export Promotion Councils/Associations in organizing a Global Mega Textile Event i.e. BHARAT TEX 2024 in February, 2024 and is also supporting same event i.e. BHARAT TEX 2025 scheduled in February, 2025 to showcase the strength of the Indian textiles value chain, highlighting the latest progress/ innovations in textile & fashion Industry and positioning India as the most preferred destination for sourcing and investment in textile sector.

(c) & (d): Details of textile and apparel (including handicrafts) export of Tamil Nadu during last 3 years and current year are as under:

	Value in USD Million			
	FY: 2021-22	FY: 2022-23	FY: 2023-24	APR-NOV 2024
Tamil Nadu Export	8,714	8,009	7,172	5,243
India's Export to World	44,435	36,686	35,874	24,064
% Share	19.6%	21.8%	20.0%	21.8%

Source: DGCIS, Provisional Data (Rounded Off)

Number of textile factories in the state of Tamil Nadu is as below:-

S.NO	Textile Segment	Number of Factories
1	Spinning, Weaving & Finishing of Textiles	4,635
2	Manufacture of Knitted & Crocheted apparel	3,871
3	Manufacture of Other Textiles	1,834
4	Manufacture of Wearing Apparel, except fur apparel	1,093
5	Manufacture of Man-Made Fibres	58
6	Total	11,491

Source : Annual Survey of Industries 2022-23 Vol. I, National Statistics Office, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation.

(e) & (f): The facilitative role of Government as regards the textile industry comprise steps to enable access to raw materials, competitive access to markets and support at production process to make the production qualitatively and quantitatively competitive etc.

- (i) The incentive schemes for credit flow for technology upgradation in Textile value chains has been the flagship scheme of Government of India. The scheme since 2016 is MSME focused and has enabled credit flow to more than 12,925 units including units in Tamil Nadu.
- (ii) SAMARTH scheme is being implemented to enable strengthening of skills under which so far 3.46 lakh beneficiaries have been imparted skill development, out of which 73,629 beneficiaries received skill training in Tamil Nadu. R&D scheme was implemented to support Research and Innovation with involvement of the Textile Research Associations.
- (iii) Infra structure elements to integrate Manufacturing capacities are being envisaged through mega initiative of PM Mega Integrated Textiles Regions and Apparel (PM MITRA) parks aligning with state governments. 7 PM MITRA parks have selected under the Scheme including one from Tamil Nadu.
- (iv) Production Linked Scheme (PLI) scheme is to promote production potential of MMF Fabrics, MMF Apparel and products of Technical Textiles. Nine (09) participant companies under the Scheme have set up their units in Tamil Nadu under PLI Scheme.
- (v) The International Connect for Cotton is being strengthened by branding of Indian cotton in addition to close engagements with the international cotton community through the International Cotton Advisory Committee, the UN recognized entity of Cotton producing, cotton consuming nations and trade.
- (vi) For Positioning India as the sourcing destination for goods across value chains, BHARAT TEX 2024 is envisaged since 2024 which enables showcasing of our strengths. Tamil Nadu had participated in an effective way in BHARAT TEX 2024 and continues to be actively involved in BHARAT TEX 2025 through extensive participation.
